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# STEP'S FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER

Quarter 3: Steps Foundation, Inc Highlights!

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#### What's Coming Up

Welcome back to the next quarter of our newsletter. There is lot's of exciting news and updates that we can wait to share with you. We are looking forward to a productive year of student success, adventures and connections. Inside this quarters newsletter we've placed a business spotlight and a nonprofit spotlight. We look forward to highlight each every quarter. If there is a business or nonprofit that you would like for us to spotlight please let us know.



#### Steps Foundation, Inc's Life Skills Program presents

Resume Writing Workshop

Resume writing is an essential and critical skill to have when you're searching for a job. Melissa Myer's from Just Write Consulting has over 20 years of experience in the HR and Recruiting industry. Students who attend this workshop should bring a laptop or tablet with them. By the end of this workshop each student should be walking out with a fully developed and job ready resume.



Date: 8/8/2020
Time: 12:00pm
Location:
1150 Garden Street
Kissimmee, FL 34744

# Business Spotlight

#### Tootles Event Sitters

Tootles Event Sitters is an event sitting service ran by two wonderful women. To know them is to love them, and we at Step's Foundation, Inc can certainly say that these two ladies are a pleasure to speak with. Marcia Van de Kieft (pictured below on the left) and Tyneshia Perine (pictured below on the right) have over 20 years of child care experience between them. Tootles Event Sitters provides individual and group child care for a variety of needs (vacations, weddings, conferences, etc).

We at Step's Foundation, Inc appreciate what you're doing for families in Central Florida. Keep up the good work ladies. If you need an event sitter please find their information below.

We can be reached by: Calling/Texting: 407.349.7749 Emailing: Info@TootlesEventSitters.com Website: https://tootleseventsitters.com



Time: 12pm - 2pm For: High School Jr's and Sr's

#### Steps Foundation, Inc presents

#### 2020-2021 Life Skills Program

8/8 - Resume Writing

9/12 - Interviewing Skills

10/10 - Professionalism & Marketing

11/7 - College and Vo-Tech

12/5 - Time & Organization Management

1/9 - Stress Management & Self Care

2/6 - Working a Budget

3/13 - Understanding your Credit

4/10 - Preparing your Financial Future

Register at: www.stepsfoundatoin.org/events

> Workshop Location: 1150 Garden Street Kissimmee, FL 34744

#### Step's Foundations Life Skills Program

We come to you with another update for our Life Skill's Program. There is no longer a fee for student's attending our program, and we are no longer requiring that students be based in Osceola County. We are providing these skills free of charge to students in the Central Florida area. Our location will remain in Osceola County but we open this program up to any student that wishes to attend.

We're also excited that because of this those students will be eligible for scholarships that we will be providing. Stay tuned, because over the next few months we will begin to reveal the scholarship information so that student's will know what the requirements are for each scholarship.

To register your student for each workshop, visit our website at www.stepsfoundation.org/events. Once you register we will send you the application that must be filled out prior to students coming. If we don't have their application before hand we won't be able to take them. Please understand that space is limited so we will only be taking 25 students per workshop right now due to COVID-19.

#### COVID-19 UPDATE

In our last Newsletter we mentioned what we planned to do in order to keep students, volunteers and speakers safe during the pandemic while involved in our program.

We want to make sure that we keep you up to date on all the changes we make as we make them.

- We will be requiring that all students come with masks.
- We will be taking temperatures at the door.
   If a student has a fever they will be turned away.
- We will provide hand sanitizers for each table.
- We will be practicing social distancing and spacing students out.

If you have any questions or concerns please reach out to us and let us know.

Email: info@stepsfoundation.org Phone: 407-279-0713

# Donation Request



We're definitely in need of donations to help make our program a success. The list below is what we are in need of to either give kids on their first day of the program or as giveaways (incentives) during the program. Your help is greatly appreciated.

#### **Donations**

Journals Pens Pencils Gift Cards Notebooks Lanyards Printer Paper Movie Tickets Planners Attraction Tickets Key Chains Stress Balls Sticky Notes Phone Cases Ear pods Headphones Snacks

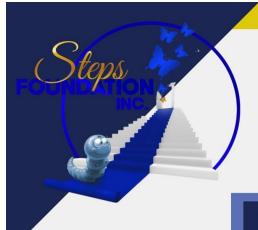
Colored Pencils

Markers

Index Cards

If ordered, donations can be sent to: 4701 Old Canoe Creek Road #700625 Saint Cloud, FL 34769

If I need to pick it up please email me at info@stepsfoundation.org or call me at 407-279-0713



#### Steps Foundation, Inc's Life Skills Program presents

Interviewing Skills Workshop

Interviewing skills is another one of the most important aspects to job placement. Melissa Myer's from Just Write Consulting will be joining us again to help you with your skills. Each student will come in interview ready. Walk in with your resume and wearing interview attire. When you sign up you will have a company and position to chose from for a interview. Do your research to ensure that you are prepared.



Date: 9/12/2020
Time: 12:00pm
Location:
1150 Garden Street
Kissimmee, FL 34744

# Coming

#### Save the Date

#### Step's Foundation, Inc presents

Our 1st Annual Teen Summit Topic: Building Young Entrepreneurs Date: 6/26/2021





Keep an eye on our social media pages and our website starting in July. We'll be posting tips for students weekly that coincide with the workshops that are coming up!





THE SHELL AND FACES EXHIBIT

SHELL AND FACES
OF ME: ARTWORK BY
SHONNA BOYKINS

Aug. 2020

# Welcome



We want to welcome Tyneshia Perine to our Board of Directors!



We want to welcome Ronald Singh to our Board of Directors!



We want to welcome Miranda Garcia to our Board of Directors!



We want to welcome Samantha Brenner to Step's Foundation as an Intern!

# Non-Profit Spotlight

# Unload, Inc

Unload, Inc is a nonprofit based in the Central Florida area that focus's on helping and serving single mothers. We often see many programs out there that focus on youth development, and things handling our children but rarely do you see one that supports the single mothers. Daphnie Corvil did something to change that dynamic. Some of her plan for helping single mothers is providing a outlet for them to speak and be supported.





This looks like assistance in mental health, support groups, and much more. On Sunday's she takes the time to recognize mothers in the area that are doing amazing things while raising families alone. If there is a single mother that you would like to nominate for Shine on Her Sunday please send their info, and why you nominate them to info@unload-us.org. Thank you Unload, Inc for all that you're doing to support single mothers in the area.



#### Steps Foundation, Inc's Life Skills Program presents

Professionalism & Marketing Workshop

From the moment you create a resume and begin searching for a job you are marketing yourself. Employer's will always be looking for the best possible candidate to fill their positions. Alyssa Hogan of Alyssa Hogan Enterprises has over 10 years of Business Management Experience. She will speak to you about social media, email etiquette and professionalism on and off the clock.



Date: 10/10/2020
Time: 12:00pm
Location:
1150 Garden Street
Kissimmee, FL 34744



**Victorious Living Counseling & Consulting, LLC** 

# TELEHEALTH SUPPORT GROUP FOR FLORIDA NURSES

If you are a CNA, LPN, RN, or ARNP in Florida feeling like you could use extra support to cope with the stressors of your job right now, this virtual 6-week support group may be for you!

#### The cost is just \$20 per week!

Please call Letitia Browne-James, Ph.D., LMHC, NCC at 321-209-8219 to see if this group is right for you and to reserve your spot. Seats are limited to 10 individuals per group!



#### Sponsorships



I pledge to make a difference is a pledge that Step's Foundation, Inc truly believes in. We believe that the small differences makes the biggest impact. We are often asked "How can I help"? There are so many ways that you can help but if you're unsure here are a few:

- 1, You can volunteer your time, expertise, or services. We love volunteers and we can tell you there is so much work to be done from helping setup and take down workshops, helping register families, spreading the word, joining committees, helping plan events, help put together goodie bags, etc.
- 2. We are looking for workshop sponsors. This is \$100 and it helps cover the cost of supplies for the workshop.
- 3. We are looking for student sponsors. The cost of a student sponsor is \$250. This helps cover the cost of the student grab bags and t-shirts.
- 4. Make a one time or monthly donation in any amount.

You can make an online payment or mail a check/money order to:

Steps Foundation, Inc

PO Box 700625

Saint Cloud, FL 34770



### **Thriving Moms Club!**

This is a live, online support and education group for current and future mothers. A six (6) sessions program for mothers to share their personal experiences, provide practical solutions and emotional support for one another.

#### TOPICS COVERED INCLUDE:

- CEO MOM: THRIVING IN CAREER AND MOTHERHOOD
- TONIC CO-PARENTING
- THRIVING IN DATING:POSITIONING FOR INTIMACY
- MONEY MAKEOVER: PROSPEROUS POCKETBOOKS
- UNDERSTANDING MY CHILD: DEVELOPMENTAL STAGES
- . PHOENIX HEART: MY HEALING JOURNEY

START DATE: Tuesday, July 21, 2020 @ 8pm All sessions will be held on a secure ZOOM platform

#### Accepting up to 10 participants

For Registration Infomation Contact Facilitators: 407-906-0139 or Pbush@keycounselingsolutions.com





# Monthly Pledge Cards Now Available

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I would like to pledge to make a difference by doing one of the following:		
Monthly Workshop Sponsor \$100 per month for 3 years I would like to contribute in other ways:		
Monthly Student Sponsor \$250 per month for 3 years	Contribute	\$ monthly for years
Monthly Sponsor \$25.00 per month for 3 years	Please con	tact me. I have other thoughts to share
Payment:		j.
My check is enclosed, made payable to: Steps Foundation, Inc		
Please charge my Visa/MC #		Exp
My company will match my gift		
We will withdraw today, and then on the 15th every month for your monthly pledge thereafter, unless you request otherwise.		
Signature:	I ple	dge to make a difference!

IF you are interested in being a monthly donor please reach out to us so that we can get you set up. We have some awesome things to give our monthly sponsors as a thank you for pledging to make the difference!

#### **Board of Directors**

#### President

Abigail Ellis

#### Vice - President

Darlene Ellis

#### Secretary

Fouzia Singh

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Priscilla Ward

#### **Board Member**

Ronald Singh

#### **Board Member**

Tyneshia Perine

#### **Board Member**

Miranda Garcia



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#### Feel free to reach out to us

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